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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

The First National Bank
OF BRYAN

At the close of business April 6, 1906

RESOURCES

LIABILITIES

Loans and Dis-
counts.....\$274,232.84
U. S. Bonds and
Premiums... 52,200.00
Stocks, Securities
Etc..... 192.00
Real Estate, Fur-
niture, Etc.. 9,500.00
Expense Account 3,470.01
CASH..... 266,577.09
Total.. \$606,171.94

Capital Stock ..\$100,000.00
Surplus Fund.. 25,000.00
Undivided
Profits..... 20,282.44
Circulation ... 46,600.00
DEPOSITS..... 414,289.50
Total.. \$606,171.94

I, H. O. Boatwright, Vice President of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. O. BOATWRIGHT, Vice President.

Correct Attest:

J. W. HOWELL
L. L. McINNIS
GUY M. BRYAN, JR.,

} Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of April, 1906.
W. C. DAVIS,
Notary Public Brazos County, Texas.

Our service is prompt and up-to-date in every particular and our rates the lowest consistent with safe business methods.

This Bank is the Depository of Bryan and Brazos County. The holders of warrants and school vouchers are requested to cash them with us.

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REARRY TOO SOON.

Strange Matrimonial Complications
Arise In Russia.

WERE NOT WIDOWS

Soldiers Returning From the Recent
War Find They Were Believed
Dead and Wives Wedded
to Other Men.

St. Petersburg, April 12.—Among the Russian prisoners arriving from Japan there are many who have been reported dead by the general staff and whose wives and relatives had been so informed. The unexpected reappearance of these men is causing all sorts of strange complications, as many wives, under the impression that they were widows, have remarried.

The newspapers contain an account of a case which happened in the province of Perm, where a returning soldier found his wife already a mother of a child by a new husband. He took the matter to the village priest for settlement. The first husband offered to acquiesce to the new conjugal arrangement if he received \$25, but the second husband was unable to pay the money and it was finally arranged that the wife should return to her first husband. However, as the second marriage was considered legal and as official documents were at hand to prove the apparent death of the living husband, it was decided that the child born while the first husband was away must be legally registered as belonging to the second husband and that it must be cared for by him.

COURAGEOUS CLERGYMAN.

Knocks Down One of Two Men Trying
to Rob Him.

Dallas, April 12.—Two white men attempted to hold up Rev. Dr. J. L. Brooks of Washington, D. C., Wednesday night at a point on Live Oak street near Hawkins street. Dr. Brooks noted that the men were apparently green and awkward at the job, and when summoned to hold up his hands, he thrust forth his fists instead, and with such good effect that the men with pistols were put to flight and escaped.

Dr. Brooks is attending the Methodist educational conference and was on his way to where he was stopping.

He was accosted by two white men, both young fellows. One of them placed a pistol against the doctor's stomach and ordered: "Throw up your hands." At the same time he turned to his partner and told him to go through the victim.

"Not on your life," declared the man assailed.

He came forward in keeping with the assertion with an uppercut with the right on the point of the jaw and felled the man who had the pistol. He turned to the other, who ran. The fellow with the pistol jumped up, and twice snapped the gun. Then he ran for nearly a block and the man who refused to be held up pursued them.

CHURCHES UNITE.

Means Ultimately a Presbyterian Ca-
thedral at Washington.

Washington, April 12.—The union of New York Avenue and Assembly Presbyterian churches was ratified by unanimous vote of the presbytery of Washington. The consolidation of the two congregations, it is generally understood, means there will be a Presbyterian cathedral here.

Appropriation For Home.

Tulsa, I. T., April 12.—The grand lodge of Odd Fellows appropriated \$20,000 to enlarge Checotah Orphans' Home and fixed the per capita tax for the ensuing year at \$1.70. McAlester was chosen as the next meeting place.

Brizzolar Nominated.

Washington, April 12.—J. Brizzolar has been nominated for postmaster at Fort Smith, Ark.

BREVITIES BUNCHED.

West Texas cattlemen want more ranges.

Zack Foster, four years old, drowned near Kerens, Tex.

Madill, I. T., is to have a \$50,000 cotton compress.

John Ruble and Zelrick Allec, boys, drowned near Memphis.

Castro has temporarily retired from presidency of Venezuela.

Dogs by the wholesale are being killed around Tyler, Tex.

A mattress factory and a hearse were burned at Brownwood, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hardy of Mexia, Tex., have been wedded sixty-two years.

Harvey Echols, a brakeman, had his left arm and foot cut off at Texarkana.

Ben White, a negro barber, severed his jugular vein with a razor at Muskogee.

Los Angeles capitalists will establish a chain of banks along west coast of Mexico.

By wrecking of a Santa Fe train north of Gainesville 400 cattle were killed or injured.

ASHES OF ANGUISH.

These and Cinders Still Belched
Out of Vesuvius.

COSTUME IS CURIOUS

Numerous Neapolitans Are Arrayed
In Automobile Coats, Caps and
Goggles and Others Put
on Paper Masks.

Naples, April 12.—From all quarters come reports that the situation is ameliorated, but ashes from Mount Vesuvius are falling everywhere, houses collapsing and burying occupants and roads near the volcano no sooner opened than they are closed again by falling cinders. The inhabitants of this city were enduring Thursday the yellow-gray atmosphere of Wednesday, which was even more oppressive than before. The popular costume—those who can afford it—consists of an automobile coat, cap and goggles, which enables the wearer to maintain the semblance of cleanliness, but people generally have to be contented with paper masks and raised umbrellas. Drivers of trolley cars are wearing masks of some transparent material under the visors of their caps.

More shops opened Thursday and the city is slowly resuming its normal life. People having recovered from the panic of Wednesday were less sullen and downhearted.

The presence of King Victor Emmanuel in Naples, which always produces a good effect, has acted as a tonic on Neapolitans, who have a superstitious veneration for the king. From early in the day crowds gathered before the palace, where men were heard to exclaim: "He comes, but the pope stays at home! Long live the king!" The feeling, however, does not interfere with the Neapolitan's veneration for saints.

A woman in the crowd before the palace was heard to confide in a friend as follows: "My daughter, who lives at Torre del Greco, is a refugee. She has been received into the royal palace, lives like a princess and has been spoken to by the queen. May the saints protect her majesty."

The king left Naples early Thursday morning for San Giuseppe, Ottajano and Terseigno in order to ascertain personally the actual situation at these towns. He hoped to be able to continue his journey by Sarno and Castellamare. The king inspected all the camp hospitals, in which troops are caring for the suffering refugees, speaking to the injured and comforting them in the misfortunes and asking them what he could do to relieve their distress.

The most consoling news of Thursday morning was that the lava was cooling on all sides.

Some extraordinary escapes from death have been recorded. A man and four children were rescued after having been lost in the ash-covered wilderness for fifty-six hours. They were terribly exhausted and seemed more like five skeletons than human beings.

Firemen have been sent from Palermo, Sicily, and other places to the villages in this vicinity which have suffered the most from the fall of ashes to assist in removing the ashes from the roofs and relieve the exhausted soldiers. Camp kitchens have been established at a number of places and free meals are being distributed wherever possible to those in need of them.

The American steam yacht Nahma, with Mrs. Robert Goelet and a party of friends on board, arrived at Palermo, Sicily. They witnessed the eruption of Vesuvius from Amalfi on Bay of Salerno, not far from Naples.

BY DIRECT VOTE.

Favorable Report by House Commit-
tee on Thus Electing Senators.

Washington, April 12.—A resolution providing for the election of senators by direct vote of the people has been favorably acted on by the house committee on election of president, vice president and representatives in congress. The resolution, which was introduced by Mr. Morris of Nebraska, makes the term of members of the house four years instead of two. Both propositions are to be accomplished by amendments to the constitution. The reasons why the term of members should be four years are stated to be because no party can inaugurate its policy in two years.

REPORT CONFIRMED.

Castro Has Temporarily Retired From
Presidency of Venezuela.

Washington, April 12.—Senor Garbira, Venezuelan charge here, has received a cablegram from Caracas affirmatory of the one received in New York by the consul general there to the effect that President Castro had temporarily resigned his office. Senor Garbira is of the opinion that the president decided to make one of his periodical trips to La Victoria for rest and recuperation after the severe labors of the past winter, but does not doubt the retirement is only for the space of a few weeks.

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...E. J. Jenkins

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The City National Bank

OF BRYAN, TEXAS

At the close of business April 6, 1906.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....	\$179,117.41
U. S. Bonds and Premiums.....	53,000.00
Stocks and Securities.....	6,611.30
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,200.50
Expenses and Taxes Paid.....	2,067.87
CASH.....	196,535.97
Total.....	\$439,533.05

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits.....	48,927.70
Circulation.....	50,000.00
DEPOSITS.....	290,605.35
Total.....	\$439,533.05

I, Albert W. Wilkerson, cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ALBERT W. WILKERSON, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 10th day of April, 1906. ED. S. DERDEN, Notary Public, Brazos County, Texas.

Correct Attest: { G. S. Parker }
Ed. Hall } Directors
J. W. English }

We invite your attention to the above statement and solicit your business.

ED. HALL, President G. S. PARKER, Vice President
E. H. ASTIN, Vice President A. W. WILKERSON, Cashier

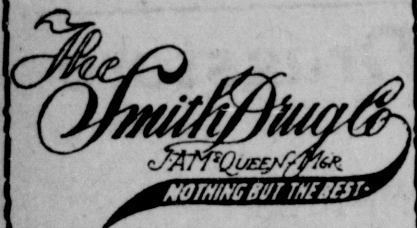
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REVIVAL SERVICES.

Evangelist Martin Will Arrive Saturday and Preach Sunday.

Rev. J. F. Hailey is doing a splendid work this week in the revival at the First Baptist church. All who hear him are impressed with the strength of his presenta-

tion of the gospel, as well as his zeal and earnestness for the salvation of souls. Attentive audiences hear him at every service and the evidences multiply that the community is being deeply impressed.

Rev. Hailey gave a Bible reading with comments on "The Devil" yesterday morning, and will continue the subject at the morning service today. He preached last night on "Salvation Through Jesus Christ." There were three additions to the church by letters, Mrs. Loftin, Miss Sadie Loftin, Mrs. Ludie Allphin.

Rev. T. T. Martin, the evangelist with whom Rev. Hailey is associated, will arrive from Rockdale Saturday and will preach at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. on Sunday. At 10:30 Sunday morning he will address a children's mass meeting, and all the Sunday schools of the city are invited to attend in a body at that hour. Another special meeting will be held at 3:30 Sunday afternoon, to which everybody is invited, and at which time Rev. Martin will speak on "Married Life; Its Present Day Dangers and Evils."

THE JUMBO DISTRICT.

The 16th congressional district, or Jumbo district, as it is sometimes called, extends about 500 miles east and west and 490 north and south. It contains 57 counties and is larger than either Delaware, New Jersey, Maryland or any of the New England states except Maine. The greater part is sparsely populated and much of it



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To make a thorough canvas of such a district is a Herculean undertaking, yet J. F. Cunningham of Abilene, who is after Congressman Smith's job, is doing it, and has already accomplished more than three-fourths of it. He has traveled by rail 8850 miles and by private conveyance 1185 miles. He has been entertained in hotels in private houses, in tents and has camped by the roadside under the open sky. He has expended so far over \$1100, and he estimates that his total expense account will amount to at least \$2500, allowing nothing for his time and loss of his law practice. Mr. Cunningham is surely in earnest in his effort to go to congress.—Alpine Avalanche.

NAMED DELEWARE.

This Will Be What the New Battleship May Be Called.

Washington, April 12.—President Roosevelt, Secretary Bonaparte and Senator Allee of Delaware had a talk about the naming of the proposed great battleship. It was agreed practically that unless congress should require specifically that the vessel should be called the Constitution, she would be named the Delaware.

PROTEST MADE.

Resolution Adopted by the Lumber Men at San Antonio.

San Antonio, April 12.—Lumber Men's association adopted resolutions protesting against the action of the Yellow Pine Manufacturers' association in making grade changes in lumber.

TRAIN DERAILED.

Engineer, Loses His Life and Fireman Is Severely Injured.

Superior, Wis., April 12.—A Great Northern passenger train, eastbound, was derailed near Cass Lake. Engineer Oakerly of Superior was killed and the fireman was severely injured. According to Great Northern officials in Superior, the passengers suffered nothing more than a shaking up.

No Good Friday Closing.

New York, April 12.—The governors of the New York Stock Exchange voted not to close the exchange on Good Friday. This is the second time in the history of the institution that it has failed to close on Good Friday, the previous occasion being in 1898.



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LOCALS

Whip-poor-will peas at Mawhinney's. 111

"The Ghost of Hamlet." Seats on sale at Haswell's. 109

You can get any style hat you want at Norwood's. 110

10 bolts of new China silk, all colors, 37½¢ at Norwood's. 110

The Glee Club are practicing now with the view of giving a farewell concert for this year in the near future.—The Battalion.

For Rent—Four room cottage next to my home. Mrs. Mary Lawrence. 107

Miss Winifred Kimble of Humble is at this place for a few days' visit to her relatives, Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Lanham.—The Battalion.

36 inch fancy Bedford cord per yard 75¢. Wagner & Brandon. 110

If you wear a Stetson hat you can find what you want at Norwood's. 10

For Rent—Mrs. Koppe's home place, furnished or unfurnished. Phone 55. 113

There is no better cut glass than we offer at a price that cannot be duplicated. 111

Haswell's Book Store.

Dr. J. F. Eaves left yesterday for San Francisco, where he goes as a representative of the Texas quarantine department for the sanitary inspection of Pullman cars.

The handsomest line of men's and boy's clothing ever shown in Bryan is now on sale at Norwood's. 110

Ladies—I will have a new and up-to-date line of seasonable goods on display Monday. See them before you buy. tf Mrs. Mary Lawrence.

The ladies of the Methodist church will give their annual Easter egg hunt in the court house yard, Saturday, April 14, at 3:30 o'clock. Every body invited. Admission 10c. Prizes will be awarded and free lemonade served. 110

We have the best line of children's shoes and slippers, all styles, all kinds, white, tan and black. Norwood. 110

Mr. A. R. Shelburne and family have moved to their new home near Mrs. Dr. Jas. R. Johnson's home. Mr. Shelburne recently bought, and improved the property.

Emmel & Maloney's Soda fountain is now open, serving all the latest and best cold drinks. Ice cream, ice cream sodas, etc. Stop in and try one when shopping. 110

Mr. E. C. Green returned from a trip to Palestine, Tyler and other towns in the state. He reports the prospects for fruit rather encouraging there in spite of the last frost.—The Battalion.

Just received a full line of the new mercerized batistes, something sheer and dainty for evening wear. Wagner & Brandon. 110

There's ice cream and there's ICE CREAM. Ours is spelled with capital letters. It's capital Ice Cream. 111

State Health Officer Tabor and family arrived from Austin yesterday to visit Dr. Tabor's mother and other relatives. Dr. Tabor will leave for New Orleans today, and he and Dr. Irion, the state health officer of Louisiana, will go to Washington for a conference with Surgeon General Wyman regarding quarantine matters.

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MRS. KOPPE'S HOME BURNED.

Mrs. Laura Koppe's residence was practically destroyed by fire, so far as its usefulness is concerned, late yesterday afternoon. The roof was nearly all burned and the walls either burned or so damaged as probably would make it necessary to tear everything down in order to rebuild. Part of the furniture was saved, some of it being broken up more or less in getting it out, and a part of it burned. The loss on house and furniture, if considered total when the matter is adjusted, will be about \$5000 with about \$3100 insurance. The origin of the fire is not definitely known, but it probably resulted from burning trash in the yard, as the house and premises were being cleaned up, having just been vacated. It is believed that the burning trash was blown under the house, thus causing the fire.

The firemen did good work and the water service showed improvement in promptness as well as in pressure since the last disastrous fire.

The gray mule, which is taking the place of one of the fine horses, now crippled, was well managed by Driver Joe Hearne in spite of its disposition to be the feature of the parade.

DR. ROSS TO REMAIN.

It is learned that Dr. Frank R. Ross, at present assistant city health officer, will remain in that capacity with Health Officer Larendon. Dr. Ross is regarded an able young physician, and has made many friends in administration circles as well as with the public in the performance of his official duties. His professional education was finished in Germany a few years ago. He was appointed assistant by Dr. Brumby at the time of the election of the latter two years ago.—Houston Chronicle.

Receipe.

If food no longer tastes the same
Whatever care they take;
If you are sighing for the stuff
That Mother used to make;
Arise at 4 and milk the cows,
Go out and feed the hogs,
Then, just to while the time away,
Split up some hickory legs.
So stop, before you kick about
The biscuit and the cake,
And get the kind of appetite
Your Mother use to make.

—Exchange.

Lost—Pair spectacles near interlocking tower at railroad crossing Wednesday night. Return to Eagle office for reward. 112

Lost—A new black umbrella with wire around crook of handle and name, W. J. Walker, cut on under side of handle. Please return to owner or Eagle office. 109

Notice.

To whom it may concern:
This is to notify the general public that the Bonnevill estate has never been settled, and the same is in litigation before the courts.

Eugene Bonnevill.
Louis Bonnevill.
M. Bonnevill, Jr.

A Human Salamander.

Some years ago a Spaniard named Martines gave one of the most extraordinary exhibitions on record. It was at the New Tivoli, in Paris, in the presence of an audience of scientific men, who placed its genuineness beyond doubt. A large oven had been heated by a furnace for several hours. This the Spaniard entered, clothed in flannel trousers and shirt, a large cloak of the same material and a felt sombrero. He sang a song while a fowl was roasted by his side and at the end of fifteen minutes came out again, the temperature registered being between 202 degrees and 312 degrees F., or about 100 degrees above the temperature of boiling water. He entered the oven a second time and ate the fowl which had been roasted beside him. After a short pause he was shut in, lying on a board surrounded by candles. After awhile the audience raised a cry of "Enough!" The door was opened. The oven was found to be full of noxious, suffocating odor of boiling tallow, the sole survival of the candles. The Spaniard came out and after a cold bath was well and strong. His pulse when the door was first opened beat 176 to the minute.

St. Peter's Chair.

Rome itself is spoken of as the chair or throne of St. Peter by some early writers, but the actual episcopal chair which he is believed to have occupied may still be seen in St. Peter's, a worn eaten wooden structure, preserved in a bronze covering, says the London Chronicle. It is from such chairs of episcopal and other authority, of course, that we get the phrase "cathedra" and the word "cathedral," an abbreviation of "cathedral church," the church that contains the bishop's cathedra or chair. Some of the uses in old fashioned English of the adjective "cathedral" seem quaint now. "Cathedral dogmatism" meant not the dogmatism of a dean and chapter, but that of any one who spoke with an assumption of authority. A "cathedral beard" was a broad beard of a fashion anciently worn by bishops, and in Johnson's time "cathedral" seems to have been slang for "antique."

How Little Savings Roll Up.

If a parent deposits \$1 at the birth of the child and adds at each succeeding anniversary of the birthday a number of dollars equal to the number of years, the amount by the time the son or daughter is twenty-one years old, computed at 4 per cent interest, compounded semi-annually, will equal \$300. This would be a substantial nest egg to begin life with. The man who deposits only 25 cents a week, drawing 4 per cent, compounded semi-annually, will have to his credit at the end of five years \$73, at the end of ten years \$162, at the end of twenty years \$403 and at the end of forty years \$1,204. The man who saves \$5 a week at this rate would be worth at the end of forty years the snug fortune of \$25,888.—Leslie's Weekly.

Eased His Conscience.

In an ordinary restaurant, according to the London Chronicle, a waiter was surprised at being asked one Friday with Ireland's inimitable smile for "diviled whale." "Is it filleted shark that ye have, thin?" pursued the Irishman on being refused this delicacy. Again receiving a reply in the negative, he tried once more. "Thin ye can bring me some roasted porpoise," he said. The waiter showed signs of becoming restive, and Paddy sank back in his seat and heaved a sigh of contentment. "I'll take some roast beef and vegetables," he said cheerfully, "and sure ye'll not be for saying that I didn't ask ye for fish."

Creeping Salt.

Here is something in the course of natural phenomena that will interest and instruct the little folk if they look into it curiously: Into a tumbler half full of water dissolve just as much common table salt as can be held in solution. Let it stand for a few days and see how the salt creeps out of the water, up the inside of the glass and down the outside—just like a thing of life trying to escape from its environment. And when all the salt is apparently out of prison the water remains as salty as before! It is a pretty demonstration.

Lasting.

"This butter seems strong," said the young husband at their first breakfast at home.

"Yes," she answered. "I talked to the market man about that, and he said it was economy in the end never to buy weak butter. He said that even though this might cost a little more people could get along with less of it, and it would last longer."

Slander.

Slander is a poison which extinguishes charity, both in the slanderer and in the person who listens to it, so that a single calumny may prove fatal to an infinite number of souls, since it kills not only those who circulate it, but also all those who do not reject it.—Woman's Life.

Comes Easy For the Son.

A man can't fool his wife with the same excuse more than three times, but her son can fool her with the same promise 300 times, and it will not show the least signs of wear.—Cass County (Mo.) News.

Unsuccessful Fishing.

Esmeralda—This is my latest photograph. What do you think of it? Gwendolen—Let me have one, dear. It's absolutely perfect. Esmeralda—You mean, spiteful thing!—Chicago Tribune.

Fun has no limits. It is like the human race and face. There is a family likeness among all the species, but they all differ.—Halliburton.



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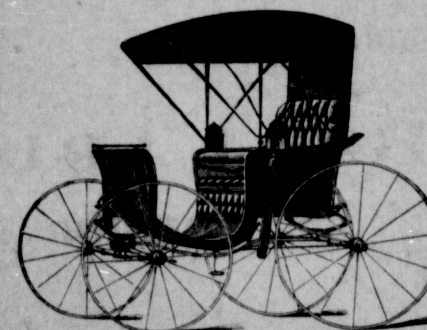
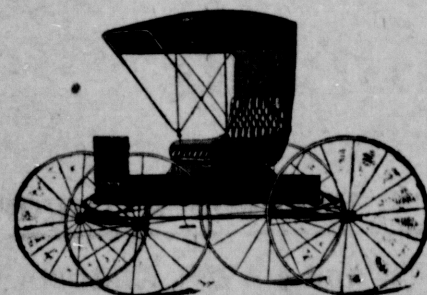
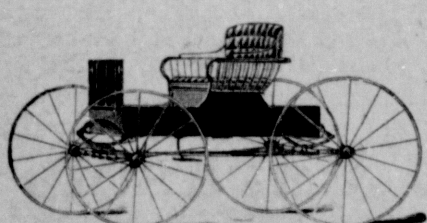
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tute team at Fort Worth; score 4 to 0. Wednesday they were in Waxahachie and Trinity University got revenge for the defeats here and at College last week by scoring 7 against A. and M's. 5. They played Trinity again yesterday.

The A. and M. team goes to Waco today and will play Texas Christian University this afternoon and Baylor tomorrow, returning to College for the game with the Southwestern boys Monday afternoon.

BACHELORS 14; MARRIED MEN 13.

Bachelors Prove That They Can Win in Baseball if not in All Other Matters.

The boastful bachelors and the confident married men of the faculty tied-up in a ball game last Saturday afternoon. The game was played in the athletic field, and the bleachers were filled with enthusiastic rooters, who cheered for every good play regardless of the side the players making the play were on.

The married men were slightly handicapped in the game, because their catcher, Powell, broke the middle finger on his right hand just before the game, when he was letting Bachman, his pitcher, warm up.

After a few minutes of practice the captains of the two teams flipped up a copper cent, (that being the only coin in the crowd) to decide who should have the choice. The married captain gained the toss, and his team took the outs.

The features of the game for the husbands were made by Johnston, Drummond, Weir, Sargent, Brown and Ball. The base running of Johnson and Drummond showed that they were either retired professionals or old college stars. The fielding of Sargent was 1000 per cent, a much envied honor in baseball circles. Weir's low dives or flying tackles for the skippers that went toward short, revealed the fact that he had at least been a good football player at one time, if he hadn't played baseball before. Brown was afraid of shocking his hands, for he never made perfect connection with the ball until it had reached the ground. Obviously Ball had learned the scientific points of the game in his younger days and evidently he remembered most of them, for he fielded his position well. All the married men batted very well, especially Drummond.

The single men played a splendid game and succeeded in making just one score more than the unlucky thirteen. They were all young and had not been out of the game near so long as the married men, so the exercise of the practices before the game put them into the best possible condition for the contest, while their opponents were probably a bit stiff.

Since the game was so close it is the desire of the corps that another game be pulled off in the near future between the same two teams.

Following is the line up:

MARRIED MEN.	
Innings—1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	
Bachman, p.....	1 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0
Moore, c.....	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 9
Whitlock, 1b.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1
Sargent, 2b.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0
Weir, ss.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1
Drummond, 3b.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1
Ball, lf.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1
Johnston, rf.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0
Brown, cf.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Total.....	1 0 2 0 0 1 4 5

BACHELORS.

Innings—1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	
Andrews, c.....	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 1
Glass, p.....	1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1
Hill, 1b.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1
Bagley, 2b.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0
Poffenberger, ss.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Pittuck, 3b.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Marsteller, rf.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Jones, lf.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1
Campbell, cf.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0
Total.....	1 0 1 0 2 0 2 4 4

—The Battalion.

AUSTIN LITERARY SOCIETY.

Program of the Austin Literary Society, April 14, 1906:

1. Reading.....Reese
2. Five minutes talk on the electric furnace and its uses....Skaggs
3. Recitation.....Myers
4. Debate—Resolved, that the people of Texas should lend every assistance to the progress of manufacturing in the state.

AFFIRMATIVE	NEGATIVE
Lipstate	Edsall
Krauskopt	Hill

5. Report of Critic.....Ellis

The Mamma Recovered.

Mamma was quite sick and had almost despaired of ever being well again. Her one regret was leaving her little five-year-old boy, who was the love and pride of mamma's heart, and thinking very seriously upon the subject, she exclaimed, "What, oh what will become of my boy!" She put the question to him: "Dear, what would you do if mamma were to die?"

"Oh, mamma, papa and me would get married again."

The mamma recovered.—Ex.

THE SUL ROSS LITERARY SOCIETY.

At the regular meeting of the society, Saturday, April 7, the following officers were elected for this term: Rollins president; Seward vice-president; Chase secretary; Creighton, treasurer; Adams T. A. sargeant-at-arms; Potts R. J. critic, and Baines chairman of program committee.—The Battalion.

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ATTENTION VOTERS.

Bryan, Texas, April 10, 1906.

Many of my friends having spoken to me suggesting that I become a candidate for the legislature, I think it proper to submit my views on some measures that I would be in favor of having passed by the next session of the legislature of the state of Texas, if I were elected a representative of Brazos county. First, I would be in favor of a law prohibiting the manufacture or sale of any patent medicine in the state of Texas unless the ingredients of the said medicine were printed in plain English on the label of said bottle or package, and making the penalty for the violation of said law, a fine of not less than one thousand dollars for each bottle or package sold.

Second, I should favor a law by which the state of Texas should engage in the refining or manufacturing of kerosene oil, using convicts as laborers, thereby coming in competition with the great trust of the country.

Third, I should be in favor of a law working short term convicts on the public roads, giving each county the preference of using its own convicts.

Fourth, I should be in favor of amending the probate law of this state so that all estates less than one thousand dollars should be retired from the regular probate docket, thereby saving small estates from being exhausted by costs and expense of court.

Fifth, I should be in favor of a law making it a felony for a witness in a felony case to leave the state of Texas after due process of law had been served upon him, for the purpose of not testifying in said cause.

Sixth—I should be in favor of amending the Terrell election law so as to have primary elections for every officer of the State from governor to constable—blanket primary pure and simple.

Seventh—I should be in favor of submitting an amendment to the constitution and to the people, so as to have elections for all officers every four years instead of two years, and that no officer should succeed himself save the judges of the various courts, and the clerks of said courts.

I should be in favor of a law providing for paying all veniremen drawn to serve as jurors in capital cases if they, in obedience to summons, attend court, whether they are taken as part of the jury or not, for the time they actually attend court.

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We have had several thousand circulars printed, showing the good points about Bryan and Brazos County, and to meet the demand we expect in the near future we must increase our list of property for sale. If you are in the market for a home or have something to offer, come to see us. We have a demand for several places in Bryan to cost from \$500.00 to \$1000.00.

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The Eagle is authorized to announce the following candidates for the district, county and precinct offices respectively indicated, subject to the action of the democratic primaries:

For Congress—6th District
T. S. HENDERSON
Of Cameron, Milam County.

For Congress—6th district
RUFUS HARDY
Of Corsicana, Navarro County.

For Congress—6th District
RICHARD MAYS
of Corsicana, Navarro County.

For District Attorney—20th District
J. M. RALSTON, (Re-election)
Of Cameron, Milam County.

BRYAN, TEXAS, APRIL 13, 1906

Representative Blount, the alarm clock statesman of East Texas, will endeavor to break into congress.

An impression prevails with some that the re-enactment of Section 120, better known as "bleeding section" of the election law, provides that the candidate receiving either a plurality or a majority of the vote will be declared the nominee. Those who are under this impression should read other sections of the law and they will find that the question as to whether a plurality or a majority shall prevail is left to the decision of the executive committee. If the committee does not take action on the matter at all, then the plurality governs.—Marlin Democrat.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

H. & T. C. SCHEDULE.

NORTH BOUND TRAIN:

No. 3..... 1:38 p.m.

No. 5..... 12:46 a.m.

SOUTH BOUND TRAIN:

No. 2..... 3:40 p.m.

No. 6..... 2:48 a.m.

I. & G. N. SCHEDULE.

SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.

No. 101 arrives at..... 6:05 p.m.

NORTH BOUND TRAINS.

No. 102 arrives at..... 9:25 a.m.

Good Friday.

15 bolts new dotted Swiss at Norwood's. 110

Frank Holubek is here from Ennis on a visit.

J. M. Lawless of Edge was in the city yesterday.

County court meets Monday with a light docket.

Mrs. H. C. Robinson returned yesterday from Austin.

New arrivals in Dresden ribbons. Wagner & Brandon. 110

Fred Pryor returned yesterday from a business trip.

James Cooper of Rock Prairie was in the city yesterday.

Dr. R. H. Wilson of Kurten was in the city yesterday.

Dr. R. H. Harrison has returned from Bedias and Anderson.

Miss Tennie Mills of Millican was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Save 25 per cent on cut glass. 111

Mrs. J. C. Davis of Navasota is visiting in Bryan for a few days.

J. L. Norcross and John Wallin were here from Mudville yesterday.

President and Mrs. H. H. Harrington of College are visiting in Waco.

Oliver Williams and Ed Rice were here from Madison county yesterday.

Mrs. P. S. Tilson of Houston is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Parker.

A big stock of the famous W. L. Douglas shoes and oxfords. Norwood. 110

Dave H. Shapira was here from Madisonville yesterday and left for Waco.

Miss Bernadine Field returned to Calvert yesterday after a visit of several days to Villa Maria Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. W. Lee left yesterday for Gatesville to make their home.

I have a line of beautiful kimono and tea jackets. Mrs. Mary Lawrence. 11

D. L. Palmer and wife and J. W. Kyle were here from Rogers Prairie yesterday.

Call on E. C. Harder & Co. for cotton seed meal and hulls. Cheap as anybody. 111

Rev. J. L. Crane left yesterday for Madisonville to conduct a revival meeting.

The Allen Academy field day exercises will be held today from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Something new—Dresden silks, for spring and summer wear. Wagner & Brandon. 410

Mrs. B. Shies of College left yesterday to visit in New Orleans and Baton Rouge, La.

New arrivals in Dresden Ribbons. Wagner & Brandon. 110

Best opera comedy of the present season—"The Ghost of Hamlet." Seats at Haswell's. 109

The first material for use in the Texas Woman's College was hauled to the grounds yesterday.

Miss Maggie Kochanowitz returned to Bremond yesterday after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hanus.

Miss Mamie Kirk, who is attending school here, left for Houston yesterday to visit her parents.

Howell Bros. on yesterday shipped to S. H. Zook of Floresville, Texas, a fine 14-months-old red poll bull.

40 inch black crepe de chene, a regular \$1.25 value—our price per yard \$1.00. Wagner & Brandon. 110

36 inch fancy Bedford cord, per yard 75c. Wagner & Brandon. 110

The ghost? The ghost! "The Ghost of Hamlet," April 17. Reserved seats 50c and 25c. 109

36 inch natural color shantung—a special value, for Monday only, 75c. Wagner & Brandon. 110

If you like to dress well you should get one of Norwood's spring suits—the swelltest in town. 110

Secure your tickets now for "The Ghost of Hamlet," opera house, April 17. Haswell's 109

Just received a full line of colored crepe de chenes in all the late shades at Wagner & Brandon's. 110

Just received a complete line of Taffeta silks in pin stripes and checks. Wagner & Brandon. 110

You Will Surely Want A New Suit for Easter



YOUR OLD SUIT will look pretty shabby next Sunday, when you see fresh Spring clothes on every side. It won't cost you much to be dressed properly, if you buy your Easter outfit at this store. While it is true that quality is a hobby with us, we are just as careful to see that the prices are right.

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Our hat department is a store in itself; over 50 styles of Spring shapes and colors here to select your Easter hat from.

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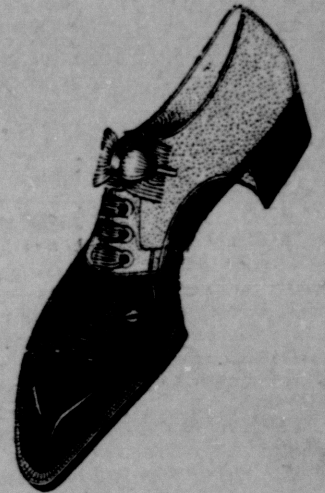
New Easter Shirts



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Manhattans..... 1.50

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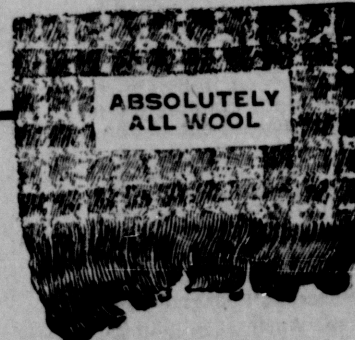
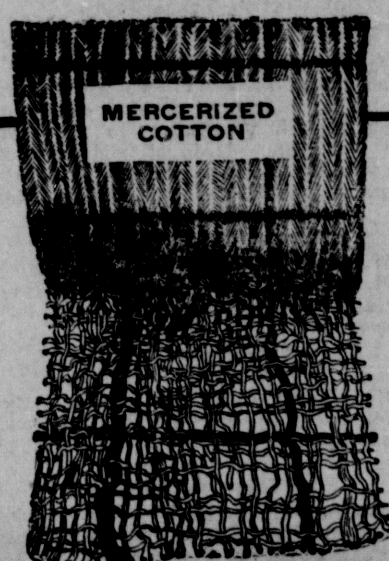
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NO MORE AFFIDAVITS.

Four Witnesses From Texas Testified In Behalf of Patrick.

New York, April 12.—Four new affidavits in behalf of A. T. Patrick were admitted Wednesday. No more will be allowed.

Mrs. Annie E. Wright of Cedar Bayou, Texas, who made one of these affidavits, was called to testify. She said that she knew both Jones and H. Baldwin Rice, mayor of Houston, who recently testified that he did not know Jones. The witness said that she saw Rice and Jones talking together in 1904.

John R. Giesberg of Houston was the next witness. His affidavit set forth that he saw Jones and Mayor Rice in a Houston street car, where he heard them talking together. He heard Rice ask Jones if he wanted any money, the affidavit declared.

Robert Adams, a deputy sheriff of Galveston county, identified his affidavit as to a conversation with Lafayette Jones, a brother of Charles F. Jones.

Mr. Olcott then announced that his case was closed except for the redirect testimony and Recorder Goff adjourned the hearing until April 23.

GOES TO PARIS.

Mexican Minister of Finance Extended Every Courtesy.

Laredo, April 12.—Hon. Jose Ives Limantour, minister of finance of Mexico, accompanied by his family, passed through here in his private car Hidalgo, which is attached to the northbound St. Louis Mexico special, en route to Paris. He was met at the border with instructions from the American government and every courtesy extended to him by the customs officials. He will be absent for some six months, which will give him his first real vacation in fourteen years of arduous labor in building up the finances of the country, in which work he has achieved an international reputation as a sound and successful financier.

In regard to Mexico and the general industrial condition of the country he said that everything was prosperous and that the new monetary system is working admirably.

"Rainmaker" Dies.

Coffeyville, Kan., April 12.—C. B. Jewell, who fifteen years ago endeavored to induce rain to fall in Kansas, is dead. He was a train dispatcher.

BRIEFLY NOTED.

Alvarado, Tex., is to have a new compass.

Texarkana will have a Japanese fête May 15.

Nubia, near Merkel, Tex., has a bank capitalized at \$15,000.

Oklahoma fruit in Shawnee section is said to be uninjured.

Another fine oil well was brought in in the Tulsa (I. T.) field.

The payment of \$112,000 to 1,100 Delaware Indians will soon begin.

Ed Lacy died near Selling, Okla., from the accidental discharge of a gun.

Fifty Shawnee, Okla., merchants have organized the Merchants' League and Credit association.

Grayson County Truck and Fruit Growers' association says Elberta peaches were damaged two-thirds by frost.

BAILEY DEAD.

Noted Showman Departs This Life at Mount Vernon, N. Y.

New York, April 12.—James A. Bailey died at his home in Mount Vernon Wednesday, from erysipelas. He was fifty-nine years of age. Mr. Bailey's name is familiar throughout America and Europe as a showman and in his latter years he was managing director of the Barnum & Bailey show. Practically his whole life was spent in the circus business as an employee and proprietor. He joined P. T. Barnum in 1829 and since that time most of the big circuses of the country have been consolidated with him as director.

BASIS OF UNION.

It Will Be Submitted to Committee of Southern Church.

Pittsburg, April 12.—The committee on union with other denominations of the United Presbyterian church in session here has formulated a basis for the union with the Associate Reformed church of the South and will at once submit it to the committee on union of the Southern church. If approved by that committee it will be presented to the general assembly of the United Presbyterian church next month.

GORKEY DINED.

Russian Novelist's Mission to This Country Is to Raise Funds.

New York, April 12.—A dinner was given Wednesday night to Maxim Gorky, the Russian novelist, at the home of Mr. Narodny. Mark Twain and a number of other notables were among the guests. Mr. Gorky through an interpreter said in part: "Now is the time for a revolution. The government can be best overthrown now. What we need is money. My mission is to raise money to carry on this work."

IMMENSE STEEL PLANT.

To Cost Five Million Dollars and Employ Five Thousand Men.

Tacoma, Wash., April 12.—A steel plant costing \$5,000,000 and employing 5,000 men is, according to the Ledger, to be built at Tacoma. A railroad will be built by the steel company to coal lands owned by it.

Were Not Favorites.

Hot Springs, Ark., April 12.—Stand Pat and Concert were the only winners at Oaklawn today not favorites. They were well played second choices. Sewell record for four and a half furlongs.

At point of revolver a negro forced Mrs. W. H. Gohlman of Houston to give up her silverware.

A negro farmer named Allee Swann suicided near Troupe, Tex., by shooting himself in the forehead.

While skating at Denton, Tex., Miss Josie Harrington fell and broke both bones in left forearm.

Owing to blackbirds eating corn a number of Lamar county, Texas, farmers have had to replant.

Frank Johnson, a negro, was convicted at Lookhart, Tex., of attempted criminal assault and given fifty years.

Brag Henry, ten years old, was badly lacerated at Texarkana by a mad dog. He was sent to the Pasteur institute at New Orleans.

WON BY HOPPE.

Wins the Fifth Game in Billiard Tournament.

New York, April 12.—By the score of 500 to 382 Willie Hoppe, who holds the world's championship title for 18.1



WILLIE HOPPE AND ONE OF HIS DARING SHOTS.

billiards, defeated Albert G. Cutler of Boston in the fifth game of the world's championship tournament at Madison Square Garden.

ONE VAST SAHARA.

Vesuvius District Bears Resemblance to Famous Desert.

Naples, April 12.—The hole of the Vesuvius district as far as Naples, Caserta and Castellamare is one vast Sahara desert. Reports from all sides state that the fell of ashes is not so heavy as it has been for the last few days and that the ashes are much finer and from this it is argued that rode three winners. Concert broke the blockade of local traffic continues, but service on the main lines of the railway has been re-established, although greatly disarranged by the indescribable confusion in the stations where foreigners, not fully understanding the situation, inveigh against the delays and discomforts to which they have been subjected.

The theaters, cafes and places of amusement have been closed, and on all the sacred images in the streets candles are kept burning, while smaller images are being carried about, in many cases being set down in the open air and surrounded by candles. Troops are engaged in clearing the roofs of buildings of the accumulation of sand and ashes which endangered the structures. The large glass-covered galleries throughout the city which are much frequented have been ordered closed, lest the weight upon the roofs cause them to collapse.

In the road at Torre del Greco ten persons were found dead from suffocation. The people who remain at Torre Annunziata are in danger of perishing from starvation, all the shops having been closed. Rations for 200 persons have been sent there.

The warships ordered here have been doing effective service in the removal of refugees.

BY CONCILIATION.

Opposing Interests May Thus Settle Their Differences.

Chicago, April 12.—At the conclusion of a day of conferences between the opposing interests of the Christian Catholic church the statement was made at midnight Wednesday night that the whole controversy would probably be settled by conciliation. Both sides to the dispute, according to Attorney Emil C. Wetten, John Alexander Dowle's legal representative, are anxious for an amicable adjustment of the holed ispute.

This announcement was made by Mr. Wetten after his return to Chicago from Zion City, where he went this afternoon and where he was in conference with General Overseer Barnes, the head of Zion City's law department.

The statement was made by Mr. Wetten immediately after a conference he had with Dr. Dowle and his counselors, which lasted until midnight. At this meeting Attorney Wetten told Dowle and his lieutenants what had transpired at the meeting he had with Voliva and his assistants.

SOUTHERN BASEBALL LEAGUE.

Championship Season Opens With a Large Attendance at Game.

Atlanta, April 12.—Four thousand enthusiasts at Piedmont park Atlanta Wednesday win the opening Southern Baseball league championship game from Montgomery by a whirlwind batting rally in the last half of the ninth inning. Raymond of Atlanta was batted out of the box by Montgomery in the eighth inning. Score: Atlanta, 7; Montgomery, 6.

At Birmingham an immense crowd saw the locals take the first game from Nashville, shutting out the visitors and scoring three runs.

Norcross Passes Away.

El Paso, April 12.—John Norcross, leader of the band of robbers that attacked the Dolores treasure train, died in the Chihuahua jail Wednesday as a result of wounds received before his capture.

Embarkation Begins.

Tsita Tsia, April 12.—The embarkation of German troops from Peking commenced this morning.

FOUND GUILTY.

Greene and Gaynor So Adjudged by Jury at Savannah.

Savannah, Ga., April 12.—Greene and Gaynor have been found guilty of conspiracy and embezzlement on all three indictments. Judge Speer ordered a recess until Friday morning to impose sentence. The trial of Greene and Gaynor consumed about thirteen and one-half weeks. Defendants were charged with conspiracy to defraud the government and embezzlement in connection with big government engineering work in this vicinity. They were indicted in 1902, and after fighting extradition proceedings in New York fled to Canada. After lengthy proceedings there they were finally extradited and were brought to Savannah for trial.

Captain Oberlin M. Carter of the engineer corps, who had charge of improvement works under the Greene and Gaynor contract, was court-martialed for his complicity in alleged frauds and sentenced by disciplinary discharge from the army and to serve a term of imprisonment for five years.

HANGED HIMSELF.

Clergyman Violently Insane Takes Own Life in Jail.

Hillsboro, Tex., April 12.—Sheriff Satterfield returned from Covington Wednesday night, bringing Rev. B. F. Badgett, a Methodist preacher, who had become violently insane at his home on a farm near there. Mr. Satterfield had no little difficulty in placing him under restraint and bringing him to town. He was placed in jail, and when the jailer went to put him to bed in the insane cell he again became violent and with difficulty was induced to retire. Thursday morning, when the jailer went to call him for breakfast he found his hanging by a blanket to one of the bars of the cell. He had evidently been dead several hours. Rev. Mr. Badgett had been an active preacher for more than twenty years in this section, having resided at Whitney, Cleburne and Itasca. Private troubles caused his insanity.

UPSET PLANS.

Dowle Denies That He Has Compromised With Voliva.

Chicago, April 12.—John Alexander Dowle has upset the plans for peaceable adjustment of his troubles with Zion church, as announced last night. Early Thursday he directed his attendants to announce to all inquirers that the report that he was about to compromise with Overseer Voliva and his followers was untrue. He said that he would conduct the legal contest in the courts to get his property back.

Attorney E. Wetten, Dowle's legal adviser, when told of this declaration, said: "I can only repeat what I said, and that is there is a good prospect of adjustment of troubles without resorting to the courts. The situation has not changed so far as I know."

EVANGELIST'S WIFE SUICIDES.

Husband Attempted to Follow Suit, but His Life Was Saved.

South McAlester, April 12.—At Crowder City, north of here, Mrs. John Pruitt, wife of a traveling evangelist, while brooding over her husband's continued absence, drank carbolic acid. The preacher was apprised of her death and returned to attend the funeral. Following the burial he took the contents of a bottled labeled arsenic, but medical aid was summoned and his life saved. The woman and several little ones have lived in a tent throughout the winter.

MEETS MONDAY.

State Tax Board to Hear Complaints of Corporations.

Austin, April 12.—Tax Commissioner Davie Thursday began sending notices to all interurban lines, packing houses, telephone companies and other corporations doing business in Texas and subject to the provisions of the intangible tax law, advising them that the state tax board will meet Monday and be in session all the week for the purpose of hearing complaints and evidence relative to the intangible assets of these corporations in Texas.

CHARGED WITH RAPE.

Mexican Alleged to Have Committed This Heinous Crime on Girl.

San Antonio, April 12.—A Mexican, fifty years old, named E. Samaneigo, was arrested at San Antonio, fourteen miles south of here, on a charge of rape on the nine-year-old daughter of another Mexican. The little one has been taken to Hays county to be under the care of her grandmother, her mother being too ill to care for her. Officers say the accused confessed to having twice committed the crime.

CHECK FORGERY.

Young Man Alleged to Have Operated at Several Texas Points.

Palestine, Tex., April 12.—A young man of good appearance and several aliases was arrested here by Sheriff Watts on charge of passing a forged check on H. V. Prather in payment for a bicycle. It is alleged he has passed checks on banks at Waco, Galveston, Quanah, Texarkana and Paris.

To Forward Contributions.

Washington, April 12.—National Red Cross society will forward contributions to Naples for volcano sufferers.

Gained Seven points.

New York, April 12.—During early trading cotton market Thursday advanced to net gain of 4 to 7 points.

Five Years for Mitchell.

San Antonio, April 12.—J. B. Mitchell, charged with complicity in murder of P. H. Pond, got five years.

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